

The Paducah Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1903.

10 CENTS PER WEEK

CRACKED THE SAFE THE LIBRARY BOARD

And Robbers at Hayti, Mo., Secure a Good Big Wad.

Millions of Acres of Government Land Stolen—Big University Barns.

OTHER NEWS BY WIRE MAYOR GIVES NO TIPS

BORBERS CRACK SAFE.

Gutherville, Mo., Dec. 2.—The Bank of Hayti, six miles from here, was entered by thieves who with three explosions cracked the vault and got away with between \$7,000 and \$15,000. The job was a good one and there is no clue.

CATTLE KINGS INDICTED.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 2.—The latest sensation in Nebraska is the alleged indicting in the federal court here of a large number of ranch owners who are alleged to have fenced in government land. It is said that between 700 and 800 ranchmen in Western Nebraska have fenced in fully 7,000,000 acres of government land. Names of those indicted are not given out.

CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY BURNS.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 2.—The handsome big Catholic university here was last night destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of \$200,000. Many of the inmates escaped by jumping, and one priest was fatally hurt.

KILLED OVER LOAD OF COAL.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 2—Henry Gray and Louis Staggs, of Chiloeburg, this county, quarreled today over unloading a car of coal the job of which both claimed. As they couldn't settle which had been engaged they fought, and Gray was killed and Staggs fatally shot. Both were men with large families.

DEATH IN TODD.

Nikton, Ky., Dec. 2—Miss Lucy V. Kimbrough, daughter of the late Levy P. Kimbrough, a prominent and popular young lady, died today at the home of Judge P. O. Duffy, her grandfather, from consumption.

THE CONVENTION

A Large Crowd is at Wickliffe This Afternoon.

Reports Indicate that Attorney Wheeler Campbell Will Win.

Chairman C. W. Morrison, of the Democratic senatorial committee, left this morning for Wickliffe, accompanied by the delegates from McCracken and Marshall counties and a number of politicians and others, to attend the convention there this afternoon to nominate a Democratic candidate for the state senate.

Reports are that there is a large crowd present, and much interest. Chairman Morrison called the convention to order at 3 o'clock.

At three o'clock it was reported that the convention had not been organized, but that Campbell seemed to be the stronger candidate.

Mrs. Ross Green, of Ballard county, is the guest of Mrs. Weithauf, of the Mayfield road.

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TEST SUIT PROBABLE

Members of the Militia Interested in Decision.

They Desire to Know if Militiamen May Be Sent to Jail for Petty Offences.

QUESTION TO BE SETTLED

A suit in which the state militia of Kentucky will be interested probably will be filed in the Jefferson county court soon for the purpose of testing the constitutionality of the state militia law relative to the power of commanding officers to order the arrest and imprisonment of privates or non-commissioned officers for petty violations of the law, such as the failure to attend drills, etc.

The suit is contemplated by Colonel J. H. Ward, of Louisville, whose son a member of Battery A, was arrested by a policeman and placed in the county jail, where he was kept in a cell until Sunday morning. The order for young Ward's arrest was made by First Lieutenant Robert G. Gordon, charging him with refusing to attend meetings and drills of his battery.

When the order for Ward's arrest was drawn, like warrants for several other members of Battery A were also drawn and placed in the hands of the police, but those named in them were not apprehended until Monday night. When they were taken to jail they were refused admittance by order of Jailer Pfanzl, who, after consulting his attorney, decided he had no right to receive prisoners on the order of Lieutenant Gordon. The men were then liberated, and the police refused to serve other warrant in their hands. This raised the question as to the power conveyed by the statutes, and Colonel Ward is now having prepared a suit to test the law and its constitutionality.

The section of the law under which the warrants were issued, and which Colonel Ward will attack in the contemplated proceedings, is as follows:

"And the commanding officer of any regiment, battalion, or company, troop or battery, may arrest any member of his command for a violation of any order, regulation or law for the government of the Kentucky state guard and he may authorize in writing any constable, police officer or sheriff of the city or county wherein such violation occurs, to so arrest any such delinquent member; and such commanding officer may turn over to any constable, police officer or sheriff any member of his command so arrested by him, and such constable, police officer or sheriff shall hold such man so arrested in his custody until he has been tried by the proper court-martial or has been discharged by proper authority, and for a period not exceeding five days."

Colonel Ward holds that if a militiaman is arrested by a peace officer he must be "held in his custody" until tried, and not placed in jail.

COMMITTEES MEET

THE FINANCE AND THE LICENSE COMMITTEES TO HOLD SESSION.

Two important committee meetings will be held Friday at the city hall. The finance committee will meet to discuss the advisability of compromising the suit of Roberts & Co., of New York against the city of Paducah for \$10,000 damages for breach of contract. The company has proposed to compromise for \$2,000, and the committee will act on whether or not it is deemed advisable to accept it.

The license committee will also hold a meeting Friday for the purpose of deciding on other changes in the license law. A number have already been agreed on but the revision is not quite complete.

HE FOUND A CURE.

R. H. Fosher, 318 S. 2d street, Salt Lake City, writes: "I have been bothered with dyspepsia or indigestion for 21 years, have tried many doctors without relief, but I have found a cure in Herbine. I recommend it to all my friends, who are afflicted that way, and I am curing them, too. 50¢ at Dr. Boe's, Kolb & Co."

Captain J. F. Brownwinski, of Joplin, was in the city today and reports business booming.

TO CURE A GOLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Balsmo Quillins. Tablets. All drugs refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. inc.

DON'T HAVE TO BUST

Members of the School Board Become Children Again.

Elect a Superintendent for a Day or Two—Hatfield's Resignation Effective December 31.

PROF. CLARKE IS ELECTED

The regular meeting of the board of education took place last night at the high school building on West Broadway and Superintendent C. B. Hatfield, of the schools, tendered his resignation as anticipated, and Prof. E. S. Clarke, of Nevada, Mo., over W. F. Pate, of Versailles, to fill a vacancy that does not exist. There will be no vacancy until December 31, when Superintendent Hatfield retires and his resignation becomes effective.

Trustees Mammam, Mattison and Fuller, did not desire to participate in such an absurd proceeding, and were excused by request, from voting. The board decided to dismiss the schools December 28 until January 1 this year, and will hold an adjourned meeting on December 28 to allow salaries and transact their final business before retiring.

LETTER CARRIERS

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR THE ENSUING YEAR LAST NIGHT.

The Paducah Letter Carriers' association last night elected officers for the year as follows: Charles Grimm, president; Frank Moore vice president; Jesse G. Cord, financial and recording secretary; Fred Acker, treasurer; C. B. Williamson, sergeant at arms; J. Allard Williams, collector of mutual benefit assessment.

The ladies are invited to call to see The Kentucky Glass and Queenware Co.'s line of Christmas goods. 'Tis the prettiest store in Paducah.

RILEY & COOK for the very latest and best things in photos.



MESSAGE FROM PETER.

KING OF SERVIA SENDS AN AUTOGRAPH LETTER TO PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Berlin, Dec. 2—M. Miletchovitch, the Servian minister here, has requested United States Ambassador Tower to forward to Washington an autograph letter from King Peter to President Roosevelt informing him of his accession to the throne. Mr. Tower accepted the letter and cabled the fact to Washington. The step taken by King Peter is doubtless designed to bring about a resumption of diplomatic relations between Servia and the United States which lapsed after the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga. John B. Jackson, the United States minister to Greece, Roumania and Servia, was making a tour of Balkans presenting his credentials at the time of the tragedy at Belgrade and he avoided going to that city on instructions from Washington. Precisely why the Servian king's letter should have been sent through this embassy instead of at Vienna does not appear.

BEST WAY TO HOT SPRINGS.
Iron Mountain Route from St. Louis or Memphis. New fast train—faster than ever; less than twelve hours from St. Louis. Leaving 8:20 p. m. daily, arrive Hot Springs 8 a. m. Effective Sunday, November 8. Connections from Memphis with this fast service. Low round trip rates year round. Free descriptive books, folders, etc. See ticket agents or address R. T. G. Matthews, T. P. A., Room 202 Equitable Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

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Mrs. Anna D. Moore.

"No More Aches and Pains."

No. 826 Perdido Street,
NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 27, 1903.

For over nine years I had been troubled with leucorrhœa. The discharge was yellowish at times but after the menstrual period it would become reddish, acrid and excoriating. This exhausted my system. I was continually tired while my appetite was poor, my digestion very bad and my sleep fitful and feverish.

Wine of Cardui was the one remedy which helped me in my distress. I soon found that it relieved the pain and infused me with new strength and after the use of 22 bottles I was well. No more discharge. No more aches and pains and oh, what relief, only those who have had my experience can appreciate the value of such a fine medicine as Wine of Cardui.

Anna D. Moore
VICE-PRESIDENT, UNITED DAUGHTERS' INDUSTRIAL CLUB.

WINE OF CARDUI

Does not this letter convince the most skeptical sufferer that Wine of Cardui will bring her health? It is difficult to imagine a case where there are more discouraging features than this before Mrs. Moore began taking Wine of Cardui. Leucorrhœa is an inflammation of the vagina. It is really decay in the vital organs of womanhood. This inflammation often drives women into the direst stages of nervous excitement. At the menstrual period the continual itching is accompanied by the utmost agony. The life of the woman who lets this trouble run on as Mrs. Moore did is one of misery. But Mrs. Moore did not know what medicine to take to cure it. When she had Wine of Cardui brought to her attention she took it and continued the treatment until she was cured.

The case was a chronic one and it took persistent effort to bring a permanent cure. This cure can be secured by any woman who takes Wine of Cardui. Mrs. Moore tried everything else and continued to suffer. She tried Wine of Cardui and was cured. You can treat your case successfully in your own home and nobody need know anything about it. Secure a \$1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui today and begin the treatment.

Rheumatism

"THE PAIN KING."

Those who have ever felt its keen, cutting pains, or witnessed the intense suffering of others, know that Rheumatism is torture, and that it is rightly called "The King of Pain."

All do not suffer alike. Some are suddenly seized with the most excruciating pains, and it seems every muscle and joint in the body was being torn asunder. Others feel only occasional slight pains for weeks or months, when a sudden change in the weather or exposure to damp, chilly winds or night air brings on a fierce attack, lasting for days perhaps, and leaving the patient with a weakened constitution or crippled and deformed for all time.

An acid, polluted condition of the blood is the cause of every form and variety of Rheumatism, Muscular, Articular, Acute, Chronic, Inflammatory and Sciatric, and the blood must be purged and purified before there is an end to your aches and pains. External applications, the use of liniments and plasters, do much toward temporary relief, but such treatment does not reach the real cause or cleanse the diseased blood; but S. S. S., the greatest of all blood purifiers and tonics, does cure Rheumatism by antidoting and neutralizing the poisonous acids and building up the weak and sluggish blood. It is safe and reliable in all forms of Rheumatism. It makes the old acid blood rich, and the pain-tortured muscles and joints are relieved, the shattered nerves are made strong, and the entire system is invigorated and toned up by the use of this great vegetable remedy.

If you have Rheumatism, write us, and our physicians will furnish without charge any information desired, and we will mail free our book on Rheumatism.

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KENTUCKY WOMEN ALL OVER THE STATE

Will Start Work for Enforcement of Child Labor Law.

They Will Also Interest Themselves in the Compulsory Education Statute.

NEW INSPECTORS ARE NEEDED

Andrew Ludwig, state inspector of labor, will ask the incoming legislature to allow the commissioner of agriculture and labor two additional labor inspectors, with a view to a stricter enforcement of the state law against child labor.

In addition to the steps which Mr. Ludwig will take to place officially before the legislature the restriction of child labor, the women of Kentucky are bringing active forces to bear in the most effective manner. The Louisville Woman's club; the Civic League, of Lexington; the Consumers' League, of the State at-large, and the Emergency association have all appointed legislative committees, with instructions to exercise every influence that is available to secure stringent legislation for the protection of the children in Kentucky.

The movement includes not only the prevention of child labor, but also the compulsory education of the young people of the state. The present laws, if enforced, will be effective in freeing the state of the evils which follow the employment of children, but there is no means by which those who are interested from a philanthropic point of view may reap the rewards of their efforts to establish a higher plane of intelligence among the poor class of children.

Mr. H. P. Halleck, of Louisville, president of the Consumers' League of Kentucky, says on this subject:

"Child labor exists. There is a law upon the statute books prohibiting a child under the age of fourteen to work in a factory. Nevertheless there are numbers of children a great many years under fourteen who are still in Kentucky factories working ten hours a day for six days in the week, and sometimes working at night."

"The reason for this is not that the inspectors have failed in their duty, but that two inspectors are insufficient for the state of Kentucky. There were 869 factories visited last year, wherein 42,623 men, women and children were employed. Of these, 807 children were removed. But how many evaded the inspector, how many afterward returned to work, and how many factories went unvisited, are facts not ascertained."

Miss Eleanor M. Tarrant, who is chairman of the child labor committee of the Consumers' League, is also actively interested in the promotion of the work that has been undertaken by the women of the state.

"It is the fault of no one in particular," said Miss Tarrant, "that the children of the state are not more carefully looked after. The laws would be effective if they were enforced but the proper enforcement must be brought about by more men in the field. We want not only that, but we want a law which is not on the statute books. The women of the state are trying for a compulsory education law, and it is that, as well as the enforcement of the child labor law, that inspired this movement."

MARRIAGE IN BALLARD.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—The marriage of Mr. Ollie Walker to Miss Leila Wilford took place at the bride's home at Barlow, Ky. Mr. Walker is popular I.C. engineer running between Mounds and Jackson, and a son of Marshal Jesse Walker of Fulton.

MARRIED IN A BUGGY.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—Mr. Charley Black and Miss Deedey Passmore, of near Pierce Station, Tenn., were married while sitting in their buggy at the residence of Esquire J. T. Futrell in South Fulton.

THE NINE FOOT STAGE

First Step Has Now Been Taken.

Condemnation of a Farm for a Lock and Dam to be Built.

Cincinnati, Dec. 2.—The Government has taken its first official step toward a nine foot river from Pittsburgh to Cairo. District Attorney McPherson today brought suit in the United States court for the condemnation of the Gaff farm, which is needed for the lock and dam to be erected in the Ohio river at Cullum's Rifle. The condemnation proceedings can only mean that the dam will be erected by the government, in furtherance of the project to insure a nine foot channel from Pittsburgh to Cairo, and that the work of the dam building will be increased as soon as the legal formalities have been disposed of.

For some weeks the government has been seeking to come to an agreement with the owners of the land and those having interests in it. No progress was made, and the proceedings for condemnation were entered at the suggestion of Col. Lydecker in charge of the United States Engineer's office and the river improvements here. The farm will be taken entire by the government.

The part of it adjacent to the river will form the Ohio abutment of the dam. The land on the Kentucky side has been negotiated for, and Col. Lydecker is confident of securing it without resort to condemnation proceedings, though these will be taken if found necessary. Liberal offers were made for the land on both sides of the river, but these did not satisfy the holders, some of whom raised their figures after it was seen that their land had to be had.

DON'T BE A DONKEY

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 2.—The jury in the case of Henry Forth vs J. L. Richardson found for the defendant. Dr. Richardson is a physician at Lowes and was sued by Forth for alleged malpractice, claiming that some time in August the Forth boy broke his arm and Richardson was called in to set it. They claimed that he was unskilled in setting the fracture and that it caused a permanent crippled condition of the arm. The suit was for \$5,000.

ATTACKED BY EAGLES.

Petersburg, Ky., Dec. 2.—Hon. Elijah Parker heard a terrible noise in his barony and upon investigation found a bunch of gray eagles playing havoc with young pigs and turkeys, while one had in its talons a live rabbit. Parker, armed with a pitchfork, made it lively for the birds for a while but they turned the tables and nearly scratched his eyes out before he escaped.

OWES \$143,360.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 2.—The schedule of liabilities of the Robards Tobacco company, Henderson, which was forced into involuntary bankruptcy at the last term of the federal court, has been filed here.

The firm owes \$143,360.67, and has assets amounting to \$93,177.24. The principal creditor is the old National Bank of Evansville, which holds papers aggregating \$25,000.

DEATH AT FULTON.

Fulton, Ky., Dec. 2.—Mrs. W. C. Webb died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Godwin. Mrs. Webb's home is in Linden, Tenn. She had been visiting here only a few days when stricken with pneumonia. Mrs. Webb leaves a husband, one daughter and four sons. Her remains were taken to Linden this morning for burial.

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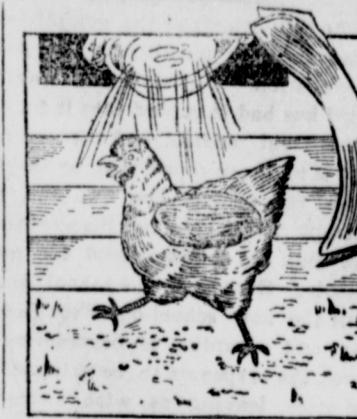
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INTO ICE HARBOR

The Leyhe Fleet is Coming to Paducah.

Several of the Boats Have Started for Winter Quarters.



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Is every man's allowance when his laundry work doesn't please him. The same work doesn't please everybody—all of us have whims of our own. Doesn't matter—we won't quarrel. We will please you. Let us humor your whims, but please give us an inkling of the little things you like attended to.

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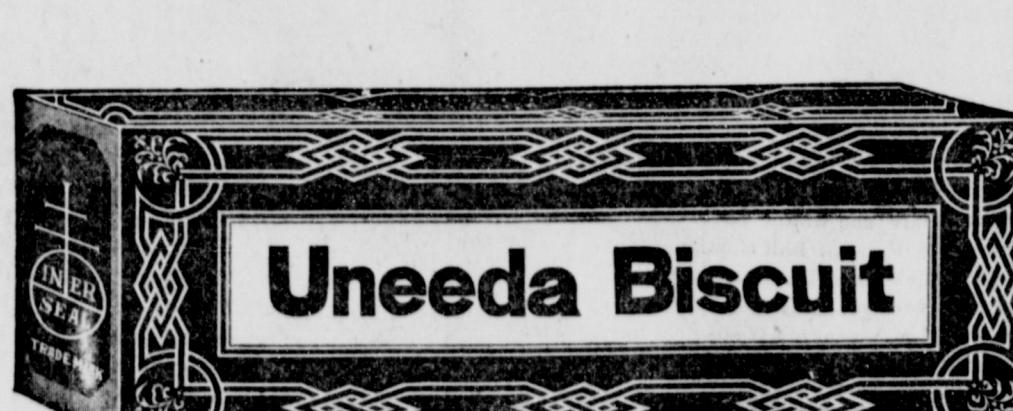
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October average 2201.

Personally appeared before me this day R. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Nov., 1903, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public McCracken County.
My commission expires at the end of the next session of the senate.

Dec. 1, 1903.

DAILY THOUGHT.

One loses all the time which he might employ to better purpose.—Housman.

REPUDIATING CORRUPTION.

The summary action of the Republican administration in the postoffice frauds, and the caustic denunciation of the alleged grafters, shows conclusively to the people of the United States where the Republican party stands on the question of corruption in politics.

There are bound to be men in all parties who will yield to the temptations and opportunities of public office, and no intelligent man can consistently claim that it is a bad showing for a party when after a most exhaustive investigation only about thirty out of thousands upon thousands of officials and employees of the postoffice department were found to be connected directly or indirectly with grafting. What President Roosevelt says in commenting on the report of General Bristow is endorsed by the Republican party, and his sound, sensible observations may aptly apply to public offices in state, county and city, as well as nation. He says, among other things:

"No crime calls for sterner reprobation than the crime of the corrupting in public life, and of the man who seeks to corrupt him. The bribe giver and the bribe taker are equally guilty. Both alike sin against the primary law of the state's safety. All questions of difference in party policy sink into insignificance when the people of this country are brought face to face with a question like this, which lies at the root of honest and decent government. On this question and on all others like it, we can afford to have no division among good citizens. In the last resort good laws and good administration alike must rest upon the broad basis of sound public opinion. A dull public conscience, an easy going acquiescence in corruption, infallibly means debasement in public life, and such debasement in the end means the ruin of free institutions. Self-government becomes a farce if the representatives of the people corrupt others or are themselves corrupted. Freedom is not a gift which will tarry long in the hands of the dishonest or of those so foolish or so incompetent as to tolerate dishonesty in their public servants. Under our system all power comes from the people and all punishment rests ultimately with the people. The toleration of the wrong, not the exposure of the wrong, is the real curse."

The question of paying the school teachers a full month's pay during December did not come up at the meeting of the school board last night as some of the members desired to go to the show, and entirely forgot about the salary question in their hurry over the more important matter—getting away to the show.

If Mr. Bryan should be nominated again by the Democrats it would only greatly increase the crop of Republicans. There are a lot of old line Democrats who would want no better excuse to join the Republican ranks.

Despite Chicago's now noted boy bandits, St. Louis is still ahead, for more hoodlums and grafters are being discovered in the Future Great every day.

—Hotel Lagomarsino was not opened yesterday, contrary to expectation, but will be as soon as possible. It may be two weeks until the handsome hostelry is again ready for business.

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The following extract from a letter received from Mrs. Helen Peitz, 15 Lynn St., Cleveland, O., will be of interest to all women afflicted with female weakness: "I have found Zoa Phora to be all you claim for it. I had abscess of the ovary, accompanied by severe pain in the back, headache, and was very nervous. I had doctored incessantly without relief, and continued to grow worse instead of better, until finally I was induced to try Zoa Phora. I am glad that I did so, as Zoa Phora has cured me sound and well and too much cannot be said in its praise."

Zoa Phora is sold by all druggists in one dollar bottles. Write the Zoa Phora Co., Kalamazoo, Mich., for a free trial bottle and copy of their illustrated medical book, "Dr. Pengelly's Advice to Women." The doctor will gladly give free special advice when needed.

D.A.R. ELECT OFFICERS

Mrs. H. S. Wells Chosen Regent of the Local Chapter.

Retiring Regent Becomes Vice Regent in Meeting Yesterday Afternoon

—Other Officers Elected.

AN INTERESTING MEETING

The Paducah chapter D. A. R., at its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Stanley DuBois, yesterday afternoon held its annual election of officers. The terms of the old officers had expired and new ones were chosen altogether.

Mrs. H. S. Wells, vice regent was elected regent, succeeding Mrs. M. B. Nash, who has held the office the full term of two years. Mrs. Nash was chosen vice regent. Mrs. Wells is one of the brightest, most efficient and most enthusiastic members of the chapter and her election was a well deserved compliment. Mrs. Nash has made a most faithful and capable officer, and it was a matter of regret to the members of the chapter that her term had expired.

The other officers elected were: Miss Emily Morrow, secretary; Mrs. George C. Thompson, treasurer; Mrs. Stanley DuBois, registrar; Mrs. Robert Hicks, historian, and Mrs. Sallie Morrow, chaplain.

A program for the year was arranged and historical papers will be read at each meeting. The retiring regent made a motion, which was adopted, to have a silver plate inserted into a gavel presented to the chapter, by the late Mrs. S. C. Vaughan, while regent of the chapter, with her name engraved upon it as a memorial of her. The interests of the chapter were very near to Mrs. Vaughan's heart, and the little testimonial is very fitting.

MILLIONAIRE'S POOR STOMACH

The worn out stomach of the overfed millionaire is often paraded in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse tortures than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25¢; regular size, 75¢. For sale by Dubois, Keib & Co.

Mrs. Robert Lane formerly of Paducah is seriously ill at her home in Louisville of heart disease.

HOW A NEWSPAPER SAVES YOU YOUR MONEY

We have economized in one way, said a housekeeper on a small salary. We have cut off our daily newspaper. You may think it is economy, but I do not agree with you, was the reply of the friend to whom he was talking, says the Pueblo Chieftain. Have you ever counted up on what you can save by following the newspaper advertisements? Our paper has cost us two cents a day and we make it pay us.

When we moved here we were paying twenty five cents for butter, seventeen cents for meat, etc., because we were ignorant. My wife subscribed for the paper one day because some canvasser asked her to do so. She began reading the advertisements and we went investigating. Soon we were able to get butter at eighteen cents and meat at twelve and one half cents, just as good as we had been paying for at a higher price. How much she saved by watching the big dry goods sales I have no idea.

That was practically a conversation that occurred in this city between two persons, and what the second speaker said of the tendency of the times.

TO DEMINISH DANGER ON PULLMAN SLEEPERS

From the Chicago Record-Herald.

Improvements are continually being made in the service of the Pullman company with a view to reducing the danger which exists of contracting diseases while traveling in sleeping cars. Experiments are now being conducted with a new vacuum or suction process for cleaning cars and their furnishings. The experiments thus far apparently indicate that the new process will almost, if not entirely, eradicate disease germs, if not entirely, so that when Pullmans start on fresh journeys there will be no danger of contagion.

The present method of cleaning the inside of cars is by compressed air forced through a tube, which blows all the dust and dirt away. In addition to this there is a treatment of formaldehyde gas. The blowing process however, may fail to eradicate all dust and disease germs, some of which are liable to settle in the car. In the vacuum process the mouth of the hose is run over the surface of the car, the seats, carpets, curtains and bedding, and the suction draws every particle of dirt out and deposits it in a closed receptacle. Also with a view to reducing the danger of contagion the Pullman company has adopted a standard berth curtain of imported mohair and of beautiful green hue.

Another innovation has been adopted in the bedding. In order to obviate contact with blankets, which are apt to carry disease germs should the cleansing chance to be defective, the sheets are now made eighteen inches longer than the blankets, so that they can be folded back over the blankets, thus preventing contact with the latter.

Officials of the Pullman company have sent statistics to the New York legislature to refute the statement made that in one year 795 people were killed in Pullman cars and 1550 injured in that state alone, due to weak construction of cars. The records show that during the year ending September 1 last not a single passenger was killed in a Pullman in the state of New York. The statement further shows that during the last three years the Pullman company carried 32,866,341 people in the United States, during which time six people were killed and 64 slightly injured.

Chicago, Dec. 2—Chief of Police O'Neill states that Charles Kruger, in jail at Greensburg Pa., has confessed to the murder of Policemen Pennell and Devine in Chicago. According to Chief O'Neill, Kruger has also confessed to the murder of sixteen other persons in Kentucky and the east. The prisoner was arrested on the charge of burglary originally and has been sentenced to be hanged January 14, 1904.

The confession is worthy of much credit Chief O'Neill says, particularly in view of the fact that there is a faithfulness to details which would be almost impossible had the man not been present at the time of the crime. In his confession Kruger states that he came to Chicago in order to escape the consequences of crimes committed in the east, and reaching the city in a destitute condition, he, with an accomplice, started on a holdup tour, when they encountered Pennell and Devine, and the shooting ensued.

NO OWNER FOUND.

Mr. Will Coleman, of the Wallace Park section, who found a watch in a tree while hickory nutting several days ago, has as yet found no owner. The watch stopped at 6:30 but since in Mr. Coleman's possession has run excellently and is a good time piece.

Mr. J. Flournoy has returned from a business trip to Louisville.

Mrs. W. K. Poage and son, George, have gone to Paris, Mo., for a visit.

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NEW GAME LAWS

Representative Sportsmen Met at Louisville.

Alleged Not to Be Sufficient Protection to Game and Fish.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 2—Twenty-five representative sportsmen of the state met yesterday at the Louisville hotel to formulate plans by which better protection may be afforded the fish and game of Kentucky. It was decided to enlist the aid of the next legislature by having a state game warden appointed as is the case in a number of states.

The meeting was called by Mr. George C. Long, of Hopkinsville, and Dr. F. W. Samuels, of this city, is in charge of arrangements for the accommodation of the visitors. The fact that there was not sufficient protection for fish and game in Kentucky has been under discussion among sportsmen for some time, and it was considered necessary to hold this meeting and arrange for a concerted action in the matter. There is a sentiment among the gentlemen attending the meeting which provides for the enlistment of the aid of naturalists and men who are interested in the preservation of birds not from the standpoint of sport alone.

PADUCAHAN'S WIN

THEY WILL ERECT THE NEW WICKLIFFE COURTHOUSE.

Meers. J. M. Dunlap and B. T. Davis, composing the contracting firm of Dunlap & Davis, were the successful bidders on the Wickliffe courthouse. Mr. Dunlap having captured the contract yesterday at Wickliffe over several prominent firms from larger cities.

The bid placed by the local firm was \$27,000, and the contract is a credit to the enterprise of the local contractors. They will begin immediately on the work and hope to push it to completion by July 1. The building is to be two stories in height and modern in every respect.

Among the many bidders on the work two prominent contractors from St. Louis were present, one from Louisville, one from Henderson and one from Fulton. Not only was the Paducah firm's bid the lowest, but it had better provisions than the other contractors offered.

OFFICIAL VOTE

60,019 PEOPLE OF THE SATTER VOTED FOR IT.

Mr. Peyton N. Clarke, of Louisville, who conducted the campaign as secretary for the committee of the State-Commercial Convention for the amendment to the Constitution has received a certificate of the passage of the amendment. The certificate gives the official vote for the amendment as 60,019, and the vote against it as 41,282. Judge C. S. Grubbs, of this city, was present at the counting of the amendment vote before the commission.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—My residence 3001 Jefferson street, G. R. Noble, Rural route No. 1. Phone 885, white.

FOR RENT—Two up stairs office rooms next to corner of Fourth and Broadway streets. For terms apply to Sam Houston.

WANTED—To buy two second hand spring wagons and also one thimble skein wagon. Must be in good repair. Apply to Jake Biederman Grocery Co.

WANTED—Canvassers. Small article. Household necessity. Good pay. Call Friday and Saturday between 4 and 6 p. m. Frank Walton, St. Nicholas Hotel.

LOCAL LINES.

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The place just now for Christmas things is The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co.

Rev. J. H. Roberts, presiding elder of the Paducah district of the Methodist church, will preach tonight at the Trimble street Methodist church.

The prettiest things for Christmas gifts are found at The Kentucky Glass and Queensware company. The prices too are surprisingly low.

The regular prayer meeting will be held at the First Presbyterian church tonight. The heaters have been repaired and the church will be warm.

Don't forget to look in at The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co's when down looking for Christmas things. A host of pretty things are to be found there.

W. C. T. U. will hold a business meeting Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock at its headquarters in the Y. M. C. A.

The election of officers for Olive Camp, Woodmen of the World, takes place next week. A number of persons have been nominated for the various positions.

The Eley Dry Goods company has received another shipment of cloaks and furs which the ladies will do well to see as they have the opportunity here of getting some splendid things at a bargain.

The funeral of Mrs. Julius Loeser took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 431 South Sixth street. The burial was at the Jewish cemetery.

Mr. Eley, of the Eley Dry Goods company, has just returned from the east with another big line of cloaks and furs among which are a number of most excellent garments which will be sold at most inviting prices.

Charles Allison, who has been in the city hospital suffering from a broken spine, will this afternoon be taken home to Bowling Green. He is

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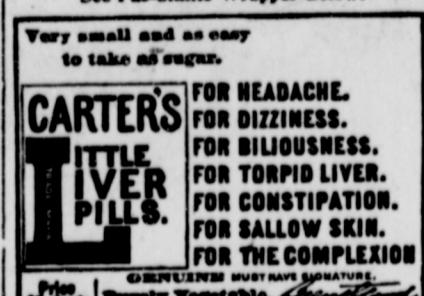
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ENTERTAINED AT CARDS.

Mrs. Lou Herring entertained at cards last evening at their home on South Third street in honor of Mr. and Mrs. W. Percy Jordan, who were married recently in Fulton.

People and Pleasant Events.

DIED IN LOGAN COUNTY.

Hon. John K. Hendrick has received news of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Ada Drake in Logan county. She was 75 years old and was born in Halifax county, Va. She was a sister of the late Judge Caswell Bennett. She left a husband and a son, Dr. A. C. Drake of Central City and a daughter, Mrs. Joe Beauchamp of Logan county.

MARRIAGE TONIGHT.

The marriage of Miss Alice McCarty and Rev. H. K. Berry will take place this evening at the Tenth street Christian church. Rev. W. H. Pinkerton will perform the ceremony.

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SANS SOUCI CLUB.

The Sans Souci club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Miss Lillian Rudy at the residence of Mrs. Charles B. Hatfield, Seventh and Monroe streets.

S. S. CLUB MEETS.

The S. S. club will be entertained Friday evening by Mrs. Frank Boyd at her home on North Fifth street.

CLUB MEETING.

The Wednesday Afternoon club is meeting this afternoon with Miss Irma Hecht of West Broadway.

Miss Katie Overstreet left this afternoon for Memphis.

Mr. Henry Arenz has returned from a visit to Chicago and other cities.

Attorney Denis Moquot went to Frankfort today at noon on legal business.

Mr. Nat F. Dorch, of Louisville, a prominent tobacco man, is in the city on business.

Mr. Ella Bowden has returned to Flora, Ill., after visiting her son, Mr. Allen Bowden.

Mr. Gus Singleton has returned from Hopkinsville and Elizabethtown. Mrs. Singleton will return Friday from visiting in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Charles Emery and Dr. Florence Meder, of Hopkinsville, returned home today at noon after a visit to Mrs. Emery's mother.

MARRY TONIGHT.

MR. CHARLES GREER AND MISS LILLIE VOGT TO WED.

Mr. Charles Greer, Jr., and Miss Lilly Irene Vogt, two well known and popular young people of the South Side will tonight be married by Rev. W. E. Cave at his residence on North Seventh street. The marriage was intended as a surprise but leaked out this afternoon.

Mr. Greer is the son of Mr. Charles Greer, the butcher of South Third street, and is one of the most popular young men in the city. His bride is the daughter of Mr. Joseph Vogt, of South 12th street, the well known tailor at Weill's, and is one of the most attractive and popular young ladies in the city. They will be married at 8 o'clock and will reside at the residence of the groom.

Mrs. Mike Caldwell arrived from Mayfield today at noon.

"JUST IN ACROSS"

SOME PEOPLE ARE LUCKY.

Some people make an intelligent study of food and get on the right track (pure food) and others are lucky enough to stumble upon the right way out of the difficulty just as a Philadelphia young woman did.

She says: "I had suffered terribly from nervous indigestion, everything seemed to disagree with me and I was on the point of starvation when one day I happened to run across a demonstration of Postum Food Coffee at one of the big stores here."

"I took a sample home and a sample of Grape Nuts as well and there tried them again and found they agreed with me perfectly. For months I made them my main diet and as the result I am restored to my former perfect health and can eat everything I want to."

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IN THE LOCAL COURTS

Palmer Transfer Co's Case Left Open.

Young Man Threatened His Prospective Brother-in-Law with Death.

HAPPENINGS IN OTHER COURTS

POLICE COURT.

The most important case before Police Judge D. L. Sanders today was that against the Palmer Transfer company for obstructing the public highway at Eleventh and Broadway with hacks waiting for the Cairo and St. Louis trains.

The other hackmen claimed that it is a case of "freeze out." In many cases when street cars were coming the streets it is alleged, would be practically blocked by the transfer company's hacks, leaving no place for other hacks.

Judge Sanders stated he would not decide the case today but would leave it open until tomorrow morning when he would be better prepared to make a decision.

"I want to look up some ordinances in regard to hacks," he stated, "and if I find that no ordinance is in effect governing this matter I will recommend to council to pass one and stop all this hack business which has been before me time and time again."

Charles McCarty, a young man of the south side, was fined \$35 and costs in one case and \$5 and costs in another for threatening to shoot or kill Rev. H. K. Berry and for being drunk and disorderly.

A sister of the young man is to be married this evening to Rev. H. K. Berry, and the young man yesterday, while drinking, it is alleged, decided that he didn't want her to marry and decided he would kill the intended groom and thus prevent it.

Friends interfered and he was arrested. He today pleaded guilty, and regretted yesterday's affair very much.

In addition to the fine assessed against McCarty he was recognized in the sum of \$300 for his good behavior towards Rev. Berry for a period of twelve months.

ad police court

Nora Smith and Willie Hite, white, were fined \$20 and costs each for using obscene and vulgar language.

The drunk charge against John Cooper, white, was dismissed.

The vagrancy charges against Howlett Jones, Tom Burnett and Sterling Fitzgerald, colored, were continued.

Ed Powell, colored, was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

The case against Allie Morton, colored, for stealing provisions from Mrs. Albert Martin, was left open.

Two cases against Rufus Jones, colored, for presenting and carrying a pistol were left open.

CIRCUIT COURT.

In the case of Rudolph, adm., against L. E. Roark, a judgment for sale was filed.

In the case of Bettie Buckner against L. F. Davis, judgment for sale was filed.

A judgment for sale was filed in the case of J. H. Whitney against J. W. Mobley and others.

A judgment for \$5 was filed in the case of W. Y. Noble against Mason Stanley and the case stricken.

The case of Rudolph, administrator of Carper against Ed Crutchfield, was dismissed.

Theo W. Stone, receiver for the Electrical Mutual Casualty association of Philadelphia, filed suit in circuit court against the Paducah Street Railway company to recover \$2,708 alleged to be due as premiums on insurance.

The Fidelity Trust company, trustees, filed a suit against Mary Caldwell and others to sell land to distribute.

A copy of Oscar Turner's will was filed in county court for the purpose of settling divisions of property.

Ella T. Sanders deeds to the Standard Tie company, for \$100 property near Monroe and 10th streets.

REMOVED FOR SAFE KEEPING.

Munfordville, Ky., Dec. 2—The county judge today ordered Custer Gardner taken to Bowling Green on the first train. There is again strong mob talk in the Pikeview neighborhood.

And immediately.

R. S. Braniger, a Maryville (Mo.) merchant, accidentally picked up a live tarantula in one of his show windows the other day. When he discovered what he had hold of he let go.

Recast Spent Bullets.

Bullets shot in military target practice nowadays are caught on an inclined surface made of sheet iron back of the target, are remelted and become bullets again.

—Detroit Free Press.

HAPPY AND HEALTHY.

A Beautiful Canadian Girl Saved From Catarrh of the Lungs by Pe-ru-na.



MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 434 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes:

"A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently.

"I was advised to try Peruna, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since."

"I now have the greatest faith in Peruna."

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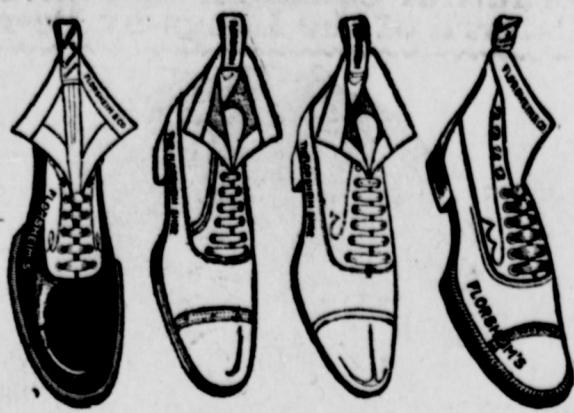
"You have a firm friend in me, and I not only advise its use to my friends, but have purchased several bottles to give to those without the means to buy, and have noticed without exception that it has brought about a speedy cure wherever it has been used."

—Miss Rose Gerbing is a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., and she writes the following:

"Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peruna for colds and catarrh and I

bought a bottle to try. I am pleased that I did, for it brought speedy relief. It only took about two bottles, and I considered this money well spent.

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OUR RAILROADS

The Report Shows Good Increase in Value.

Not Quite Forty Miles of New Road Built During Year.

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 2.—The State Railroad Commission today made its annual report to Gov. Beckham of the railroad mileage in Kentucky, the valuation per mile and the total valuation placed on mileage and other property for the purpose of taxation. The report is made as of this date, and the tax is due to be paid immediately.

The total value placed on the tangible property of the railroad corporations by the State Commission is \$52,253,266, which is an increase over the valuation of the year 1902 of \$308,882. The increase in mileage during the year was only a fraction above thirty-nine miles, increasing the total mileage in the state to 3,189 miles. Of the new trackage twenty-eight miles was built by the Louisville and Atlantic Railway company, five miles by the Licking River Railroad company and six miles by the Middlesboro Railroad company.

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And the people saw, amazed,
And said it was too bad.
Then she that had never cared
And had turned to other men
Would deign to smile sometimes,
For being a woman, when,
She had made a fool of the man
She rather liked him then.
—Exchange.

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CAUSED DEATH.

"Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued for some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive, another coughing spell came on and Duckwell died from suffocation.—St. Louis Globe Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901." Ballard's Horehound Syrup would have saved him. 25c, 50c and \$1 at DuBois, Kolb & Co.

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Washington, Dec. 1.—Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, has introduced a bill in congress which aims at a more effective exclusion of the undesirable element in the tide of immigration into this country. Mr. Lodge is a member of the immigration committee. Senator Lodge will propose the exclusion of all persons over the age of 15 who can neither read or write.

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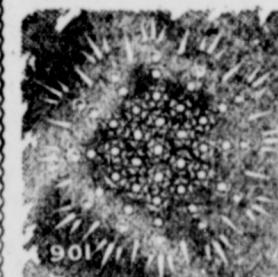


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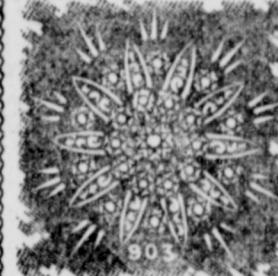
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The SKY PILOT

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Author of
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"Glengarry School Days" and "Black Rock"

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"Gwen" said the Pilot, as if changing the subject, "Did it hurt to put on the plaster jacket?"

"Yes, Gwen, I am quite sure!" Then, with quick inspiration, he got her mother's Bible and said, "Now, Gwen, try to see it as I read." But before he read, with the true artist's instinct he created the proper atmosphere. By a few vivid words he made us feel the pathetic loneliness of the Man of Sorrows in his last sad days. Then he read that masterpiece of all tragic picturing, the story of Gethsemane. And as he read, we saw it all—the garden and the trees and the sorrow stricken Man alone with his mysterious agony.

We heard the prayer so pathetically submissive, and then, for answer, the rabbler and the traitor.

Gwen was far too quick to need explanation, and the Pilot only said, "You see, Gwen, God gave nothing but the best—to his own Son only the best."

"The best? They took him away, didn't they?" She knew the story well.

"Yes, but listen." He turned the leaves rapidly and read: "We see Jesus for the suffering of death crowned with glory and honor. That is how he got his kingdom."

Gwen listened silent, but unconvinced, and then said slowly:

"But how can this be best for me? I am no use to any one. It can't be best to just lie here and make them all wait on me, and—and—I did want to help daddy—and—oh—I know they will get tired of me! They are getting tired already. I—I-can't help being hateful."

Gwen kept her eyes fixed with curious earnestness upon his face till the light began to dawn.

"Do you mean—" she began slowly, "that though God let me fall he loves me?"

The Pilot nodded. He could not trust his voice.

"I wonder if that can be true," she said, as if to herself, and soon we said goodby and came away—the Pilot limp and voiceless, but I triumphant, for I began to see a little light for Gwen.

But the fight was by no means over. Indeed it was hardly well begun. For when the autumn came, with its misty, purple days, most glorious of all days in the cattle country, the old restlessness came back and the fierce refusal of her lot. Then came the day of the round up. Why should she have to stay while all went after the cattle? The Duke would have remained, but she impatiently sent him away. She was weary and heartsick, and, worst of all, she began to feel that most terrible of burdens, the burden of her life to others. I was much relieved when the Pilot came in fresh and bright waving a bunch of wild flowers in his hand.

"I thought they were all gone!" he cried. "Where do you think I found them? Right down by the big elm root." And, though he saw by the setted gloom of her face that the storm was coming, he went bravely on picturing the canyon in all the splendor of its autumn dress. But the spell would not work. Her heart was out on the sloping hills, where the cattle were bunching and crowding with tossing heads and rattling horns, and it was in a voice very bitter and impatient that she cried:

"Oh, Gwen, I am sick of all this! I want to ride! I want to see the cattle and the men—and—and—all the things outside." The Pilot was cowboy enough to know the longing that tugged at her heart for one wild race after the calves or steers, but he could only say:

"Wait, Gwen. Try to be patient."

"I am patient; at least I have been patient for two whole months, and it's no use, and I don't believe God cares one bit!"

"Yes, he does, Gwen, more than any of us," replied the Pilot earnestly.

"No, he does not care," she answered with angry emphasis, and the Pilot made no reply.

"Perhaps," she went on hesitatingly, "he's angry because I said I didn't care for him, you remember? That was very wicked. But don't you think I'm punished nearly enough now? You made me very angry, and I didn't really mean it."

Poor Gwen! God had grown to be very real to her during these weeks of pain, and very terrible. The Pilot looked down a moment into the blue gray eyes, grown so big and so pitiful, and, hurriedly dropping on his knees beside the bed, he said in a very unsteady voice:

"Oh, Gwen, Gwen, he's not like that! Don't you remember how Jesus was with the poor sick people? That's what he's like."

"Could Jesus make me well?"

"Yes, Gwen."

"Then why doesn't he?" she asked, and there was no impatience now, but only trembling anxiety as she went on in a timid voice: "I asked him to, over and over, and said I would wait two months, and now it's more than three. Are you quite sure he hears now?"

She raised herself on her elbow and gazed searchingly into the Pilot's face. I was glad it was not into mine. As she uttered the words, "Are you quite sure?" one felt that things were in the balance. I could not help looking at the Pilot with intense anxiety. What would he answer? The Pilot gazed out of the window upon the hills for a few moments—how long the silence seemed!—then, turning, looked into the eye's

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